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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:)	CONFIRMATION NO.: 9264
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Noboru MASUDA, et al.)	
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U.S. Serial No.: 09/498,749)	Group Art Unit: 1734
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Filed: February 7, 2000)	Examiner: Brenda A. Lamb

For: **INTERMITTENT COATING APPARATUS AND INTERMITTENT COATING METHOD**

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF JANUARY 10, 2006

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Entry and consideration of this further paper is solicited to place this application in immediate condition for allowance.